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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2017

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RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - TRAFFIC OFFENSES

Introduced By: Representatives Perez, Williams, Slater, Diaz, and Coughlin

Date Introduced: January 13, 2017

Referred To: House Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 31-27 of the General Laws entitled "Motor Vehicle Offenses" is
2 hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

3 **31-27-26. Prompt violation payment.**

4 Any motorist that receives a moving violation, whose fine may be paid without a court
5 appearance, and who pays the fine in full within thirty (30) days of its issuance, shall not have the
6 violation recorded on the motorist's department of motor vehicle's driving record. Provided,
7 however, that this expungement procedure may not be utilized more than twice a year.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
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1 This act would require the department of motor vehicles not place on a motorist's driving
2 record, no more than twice yearly, a traffic violation whose fine has been paid no longer than
3 thirty (30) days after issuance.

4 This act would take effect upon passage.

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